Morning Telegram.

GRAND RAPIDS, DEC. 16, 1884.

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TOWN TALK.

The boy and his sled were prominent on the billsides yesterday.

James Bayne will give another of his popular hope at Luce's Hall this evening Miss Carrie Stone is visiting Mrs. M. F. Quaintance, nee Metheany, at Petoskey.

W. B. Smith will commence work on his new theatre, to be built on Waterloo street, early in March.

Mrs. R. H. Knapp, of Palo, is in the city visiting her daughter, Mrs. M. F. Cooper of 103 Monroe street.

A purse containing a small sum of money as found on Pearl street yesterds;, and is a police headquarters.

The next annual remnion of the Third Michigan Infantry, will be held in this city, Wednesday, Dec. 18, 1885. Articles left unsold from the Park Con-

gregory's, West Park street. The front door to the store of Paul W. Friedrich, 24 Monroe street, was found open by Officer McHugh last night.

The time is ripe now for agitating the ordinance compelling citizens to keep their sidewalks clean of snow and ice.

Geo. W. Rogers is the only man who gets a free personal for occupying a free bed at head quarters last night. Drunk. John D. Lewis was arrested last evening

for selling goods without a license and was released on bail to appear to-day at 9 a. m. A stock company is being formed to build a new roller rink, the capital stock to be \$15,000. The location is not definitely

The fall of snow brought its good results yesterday, in giving the streets a lively ap-pearance, and a general stimulus to the re-

W. R. Scribner, real estate agent, on Pearl street, soid fifty acres of land in Ada township, yesterday, to Thos. Hollis, of that town, for the sum of \$600. The jury at the United States Court were

charged on Saturday night, and no jury trials will occur in that court until the next regular term, in March. Owing to the absence of complaining witnesses the traverse jury were excused in the

Superior Court yesterday afternoon until this morning at 10 o'clock. A gentleman who has just returned from Dakota reports that two-thirds of the people.

who go to that country fail to make a cent and lose all they take with them. THE TELEGRAM'S columns are teeming with announcements of attractive things approiate for Christmas gifts. Consult them before going on a shopping tour.

The state officers of the W. C. T. U. will be temperance are cordially invited.

Grocers are complaining of being stocked with country butter. The gravy season has set in, and farmers can now spare the extract of cow in large quantities, with-out a shudder.

James Howell, driver of the police van, dislocated his left ankle Saturday evening, necessitating his lying off duty for some time. Alonzo M. Tate has been appointed driver in the meanwhile.

There will be a New Years Ball at the Metropolitan Hall on Wednesday evening, the Sist. The committee of arrangements are, J. N. Myers, A. Fyfe, B. M. Champion, F. E. Kean, P. Griffin and A. Lovell.

The case of false imprisonment brought gainst Cificer D. F. Coggswell, and tried the second time yesterday, was effectually disposed of by the second jury returning a verdict of "no cause of action."

A policeman in the upper gallery of Powers's Opera House would doubtless have a tendency to subdue the disorder in that quarter, which has of late become an annoyce to the auditors in the lower part of the

The new military company, the Valley City Artillery, will be mustered in to-night at the armory of the Custer Guard, West Side. Gen. Hutchinson, of Ionia, Inspector General of the State troops, will be here to

The following is the report to the Board of Health yesterday: M. E. Green, No. 229 East Bridge street, scarlet fever; Robert Johnson, South Division street, whooping cough; Madgea Baby Holt, No. 286 South Union street, varicella.

and Jos. Miller were given permission to pile building material on the sidewalke.

Ald. Creque moved to contract for an electric light from the Houseman to the Ledyard block, to be fifty feet above the

Mrs. Mary Lathrop will deliver a lecture in the Universalist church on Pearl street Thursday evening under the auspices of the City W. C. T. U. As President of the State W. C. T. U. Mrs. Lathrop is well and favor-ably known. She is a speaker of rare ability

The young man now taketh his best girl and a baif dollar to the skating rink, with joy in his heart, and mirth on his lips. He returneth therefrom with back so besplintered, the parcapine sayeth unto him. "Thou art my prother." and the hedge hog crieth: "Behold my father and my mother."

At the annual meeting of the Baptist Church and society held last evening, Gideon Kellogg, J. K. Johnston and E. E. Walker were elected trustees. The meeting adjourned until next Monday evening, when the estimates of the Finance Committee for the ensuing year will be considered.

A horse hitched to a cutter and driven by George Fitch started on a runaway at the Union depot, yesterday afternoon. The cut-ter overturned as it rounded the corner and struck the street railway track and the driver was thrown out. The horse ran to a point near Bronson street where it was stopped. No damage was done.

Real Estate Transfers. Furnished daily from the office

Scribner, real estate dealer. Agree Moriarity et al., to Charles Wil-kins, lets 3 and 7, bik 1, Tanner Tay-bor's add. Juneles Wilkins to Charles E. Moriarity, ints 3 and 7, bik 1, Januar Taylor's add.

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Lephen E. Odell to Daniel C. Lele, piece of land 38 by 33 ft out of n we car lot I, bik 68, Village of Cedar

in E. Green to Newton C. Terral, a 8 r. Sentenced by the U. S. Court.

Julys Witney, of the United States Court, y sentenced James McGuire to five pears in the Detroit House of Correction. d Matthew N. Lefevre to six mentle in the me institution. Metinire was convicted of ging a pension certificate, and LeVeres, a postmaster at Climas, was found he of solawfully selling postage stomps returning them as cancelled, with intent delraud the government.

THE CITY COUNCILLORS.

MANY MINOR MATTERS MOOTED.

Snow to be Kept Off Sidewalks, and Coasting on Them to be Stopped -Charter Amendments.

The Council met last evening, with every Alderman in his chair, Mayor Belknap presiding. The petition of A. Weiser, for money due him on a contract for improving North Front street, was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means. The petition of Robert B. Woodcock and seven others, asking that the southeast corner of Sheldon and Charry streets be exactly located, was granted. The petition of H. A. Brooks for a sidewalk sign at No. 117 Monroe street, was refused. The petition of Dennis L. Rogers and seven others for two naptha street lamps, was referred to the Committee on Lamps.

A petition from H. B. Hoyt, P. V. Fox, and others, that the vagrants, bummers and petty offenders who are constantly maintained in the jail at the city expense, be put at some labor which will in a measure compensate the city, was referred to the Committee on Police, as was also a petition to the like effect from James Rogers, Wm. D. Beckwith, and others. The City Marshal was granted thirty days additional time in which to collect the Wealthy avenue and Case street rolls. The assessment roll for Leonard and West Front street, was referred to Alds. Patterson, Whitney and Saunders, as a special committee. The City Controller's report was read, accepted and adopted, and orders directed to be drawn for the same.

City Attorney Ransom made a report on the matter of Eliza Norton, which was filed and asked a week longer in which to report on the matter affecting the street railway and hall ground. The estimate for the improvement of West Fulton street was placed on file. The petition of B. W. Barnard and several others was referred to the Committee on Streets. The report of B. F. McReynolds, Secretary of the Board of Police and Fire Commissioners on street lights was referred to the Committee on Lamps. Ald. Killean, from the Committee on Claims and Accounts, reported the accounts of Clerk Rathbun, of the Superior Court, and Clerk Tozer, of the Police Court, as correct. On

Ald. Gilbert, of the Committee on Ways and Means, reported adversely on the petition of W. A. Withey, to sell pictures of his own manufacture without paying the usual license; adopted. From the same, a recommendation that the city pay a judgment of \$50, which had been obtained against H. S. Holden and Geo. A. Love, members of the Board of Health, in the Jacob Van Dam case, and recommending that the City Clerk tabulate all ordinances that conflict with the present at the reception given at the Eagle | city charter, that they may be repealed, was dotel to-morrow evening. All the friends of | accepted and placed on file. The remonstrance of Sidney A. Roberts and other be amended was referred to the Aldermen of the Third Ward. Ald. DeGraaf, from the Committee on Poor, reported adversely on the petition of Mrs. J. Doherty; adopted. Ald. Pierce, Committee on Lamps, recommended that a naptha lamp be placed on formed his daily tasks in the school building Kent and Ottawa streets: adopted.

Ald. More gave notice that the Committee on Ordinances would meet on Wednesday evening at 7:30 o'clock. Ald. De Graaf. from the special committee on the straightening of the north line of Prescott street,reported confirming the former report, recommending the purchase of the property at the price named, \$355; reported, Ald, Saunders, as special committee, reported on the City Marshal's accounts for improvements on Page street; accepted and adopted. The assessment roll for grading and paving on Jefferson avenue, on the north line, was taken from the table and returned for one week longer to hear further appeals. The La Grave street assessment roll was reported from the committee and the Clerk directed to give notice for appeals. J. M. Stanley

Ledyard block, to be fifty feet above the and immediately summoned Coroner Brastreet; amended by Ald. DeGraaf to also place such light at the corner of Bartlett and Mr. Schuidema was fifty-six years of age, Summit streets; by Ald. Yates, to also place one at corner of Shawmut avenue and West | leaves a family, consisting of a wife and five Division streets; on motion of Ald. Nester a children, the youngest child being nine substitute to refer it to the Committee on | years old. Lamps carried.

A resolution was adopted, offered by Ald. Gilbert, that the City Marshal be directed to enforce the ordinances relative to keeping the snow and ice off of pavements, and that the Board of Police and Fire Commissioners be requested to prevent coasting on sidewalks. Ald. More presented a resolution that the City Surveyor be directed to locate the south east corner of Sheldon and Cherry streets. As the locating of this point fixes the present boundaries of a large number of residents' properties considerable discussion ensued, in which Mr. Wilmarth, a property owner in that locality suggested it be referred to some legal authority before action. as it was a question whether it was good policy to change long established lines. The reaolution was first tabled and afterward placed
on file. The question of a naphtha lamp on
North College avenue, at the crossing of the
Detroit & Milwaukee railroad, was referred
to the Committee on Lamps. Ald. Saunders
introduced a resolution that the City Marshal be directed to give a list of persons and
proporties upon which collections had not
been made for the grading and graveling of
Page street; carried. Ald. Yates asked for a
contour survey and chart of Ball (Forty)
Fark; Committee on Parks. A motion for
Council to go into Committee of the Whole
was lost. On motion of Ald. DeGraaf, the
Council adjourned until Wed nesday evening
to consider charter amendments. icy to change long established lines. The res-

Literary Notes.

"The Trouble with the Stage" will be discussed in the January Century by a writer who claims that the managers first need reforming. Dr. Giadden writes of "Christianity and Popular Amusements" in the same number.

Lord Tennyson has two beautiful grand-children. Alfred and Charles, sons of the Hon. Lionel Tennyson, the elder son of the post, It was to his grandchild, Alfred, that post. It was to his grandchild, Alfred, that Lord Tennyson dediented his latest collection of "Ballads and Poerac" in a verse baginning, "Golden-haired Ally, whose name is one with mine." A portrait of the two children has lately been pointed by Mrs. Anna Les Merritt, the we'l known American artist, now resident at Leminer, and a fall page engraving of the painting appearantly the consent of the Tennyson family—

AMUSEMENTS.

Something About "Romany Rye" and the Way it Was Presented.

The performance of "Romany Rye" at Powers's Opera House last night was well attended, especially in the "apper tiers." A play of five acts with only one really strong scene, the fourth in the fourth act, enacted by a company, the majority of whom evinced no more dramatic talent than a gang of stone-breakers, is a dose that will nanseate a gallery god and the lads in the upper tiers tried to counteract the bad effects, by "guying" the bad actors and flattering them with such exclamations, as "that's the stuff." "right you are Eliza" and "you are dandies." Barring the scene alluded to above, the play, as given last night, is not the direct kind. The scenery is excellent, and well managed, but why such excellent scenery should be accorded so poor a play seems only explainable in an intention to divert attention from the bad acting. Why the Mr. Snyder, who as Philip Royston, was the abomination of all that can be conceived abominable in seting, should be allowed to go about the country torturing people seems only possible by a diagnosis from the stand point of Christianity, and that Providence has given this man a memory that He might use him as one of His "mysterious ways" in inflicting punishment on erring humanity. From this standpoint Mr. Snyder's effort should be received with fortitude and resignation, and judging from the fact that he has been allowed to pass unmolested through States where capital punishment is in vogue, strengthens this theory. To judge from the inflection he gave his lines there is good reason for hoping to see Mr. Dennis in opera next season. Last year his performance of Jack Hearne was satisfactory. Possibly though the defect now noticeable is only natural evil resultant from a repeated appearance in the part. Not having a language versatile enough to give any idea-without a constant repetition of adjectives-of how the other bad little actors conducted themselves, it will be charitable to pass them in silence. The strong features of the play were the Mother Shipton of Mrs. Jones, and the scenery-only these and nothing more. The play will be repeated to-night. The orchestra did excellent service, and demonstrated how much improvement a regular weekly reheareal can accomplish.

"The Planter's Wife."

The fact that the Planter's Wife Company has been playing engagements in all of the large cities most of the season strongly verifies the good words said for it by the press. The St. Louis Chronicle had the fol-

The mountings of the play were admirable, and its interpretation by the company so strong, and withal, so perfect, that the house was taken completely by storm, and a triumph was scored such as has not been witnessed in Pope's Theater for many a day.

FOUND DEAD.

A Janitor Drops Dead While at His them. Daily Task.

For a little over a year Kemp Schuidema, who resides in a cottage at the rear of 116 Center street, has been the janitor of the Granville avenue school house. He has perregularly and well, and has generally returned home at night from his work a little after 5 o'clock. Last evening he failed to return home and two of his children went to the school-house about 6 o'clock to ascertain the cause of his delay. They found the doors unlocked but did not enter the building and instead reported the absence of their father at police headquarters. Immediately Sergeant Johnson and Officer Scobey started for the school-house. When they arrived they searched all the rooms but found no one. They then went into the basement, where they found Mr. Schuidema dead, near the coal heap. The coal scuttle was about one-half full of coal, the shovel lay as it fell from the man's hands, and the unfortunate lay upon his back as though he had fallen over and expired instantly, which is probably the case. He complained at noon. while at dinner, of a pain in his chest, and Ald. Creque moved to contract for an it is thought he died of heart disease. The electric light from the Houseman to the officers conveyed the deceased to his home dish, who will hold an inquest this morning. had lived in this city about nine years, and

RAILROAD NOTES.

John Taylor, agent for the D., G. H. & M., at Owosso, is in the city. The Port Huron & Northwestern Railroad track between Vassar and East Saginaw, has been relaid with steel rails during the past week.

The city offices of the Michigan Central are being elegantly fitted, and it will require but a few days to place the boys in as fine an office as the city possesses.

Gilbert Appelhof formerly of the C. & W. M. general offices here, but now in the offices of the Wabash, St. Louis & Pacific road at St. Louis, is visiting his parents in this city. A number of prominent railway officials, in company with Railroad Commissioner Innes, will make a trip to Wasepi Junction, to inspect an interlocking switch at that place.

Mr. J. E. Nichols, freight solicitor for the Chicago & Northwestern Railway, has been visiting in the city with relatives and friends. He has recently had more territory added to his field of labor, and will work the whole of Michigan and Indiana.

A meeting of the railroad superintendents of the states of Michigan and Ohio will be held at Detroit to-day, for the purpose of forming an organization of railroad superintendents of these states. A. M. Nichols, General Superintendent of the C. & W. M., of this city, and J. M. Metheany, of the G. R. & L., will attend the meeting.

The Michigan & Ohio, which runs its special Toledo car into this city over the C. & W. M., via Allegan and Holland, has introduced bills of fare on their passenger trains. You give your order while the train is in motion. The conductor telegraphs ahead to the cating station, and when you get there your meal is brought in to you ready and hot.

Says the Kalamazoo Gasette of December 13: The building of the Chicago, Kalamazoo & Saginaw Ratiroad is an assured fact. At a meeting held in Hastings Wednesday afternoon, a bond was signed by a 100 solid men, and practically turned over to the syndicate as a guarantee that the \$45,000 worth of notes already taken for the building of the read into this city will be paid. This amount provides for all right of way, franchises and privileges. Kalamazoo needs but ten more names for \$50 each to complete her proposition of the funds to be raised. Contracts will at once he let for time and preparations made to summance work on the read at the earliest day possible.

A TALE OF EIGHT ORPHANE

Children Whose Parents' Sins Have

Robbed Them of Support. Judge Perkins, of the Probate Court, will to-day act upon the petitions of eight children belonging to three broken families whom the Superintendents of the Poor desire to send to the State Public School at Coldwater. Two of these children are daughters of James McGaire, sentenced to the Detroit House of Correction for five years, who, with their mother, came on as witnesses in the case and became the city's charge by reason of their poverty. Two more are daughters of Antoinetta Lange, recently found guilty in the Superior Court of shop-lifting. and four others are the children of a man and wife by the name of Lovell, from Grandville, who have severed matrimonial relations and divided their progeny between them. The cases of the McGuire and Lovell children will be heard at 2 o'clock and the Lange case at 4 o'clock.

YESTERDAY'S COURTS.

PRODATE.-Estate of Anne Trimp, de ceased. Order admitting will to probate and appointing Ootsche Kimp, executrix.—
Estate of Eden S. Dunham, deceased. Order appointing Cyrus E. Kildreth administrator.
—Estate of Wm. Marshall, deceased. Letters of administration issued to McGeorge Bundy .- Estate of Lula Blake et al., minors. Order appointing Christina Boss, guardian.—Estate of Franklin S. Tefft et al., minors. Order granting license to sell

Supranon.—The People v. Fred Fairchilds.
Larceny. Verdict guilty.—The People v.
Levi S. Whitfield. Larceny from person.
Trial will be resumed to-day at 10 o'clock.

JUSTICE BROUWER .- Margarett Leichner v. Chas. Thompson. Assumpsit.. Cause tried and decision reserved to Dec. 16.—Peter Thomasen and Hendrek Van Dyk v. Ocenas Van Buren. Assumpsit. Venire issued re-turnable Dec. 20 at 2 p. m. — John Luyendyk v. Dan Carlson. Assumpsit. Case set-tled, cost paid.—Same v. C. & W. M. R. R. Garnishee of Dan Carlsen. Settled and R. R. company released.

Police-David Bannerman and Robert Johnson, drunk; 10 days in jail.—John Pickle, drunk and disorderly; 20 days in jail. —Samuel Jones and John McCarthy, breach of peace; same sentence.

AUCTION.

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Five thousand albums worth from \$3 to \$10 each; 2,000 books, standard works, making nice presents, which must be sold. Three days only, Thursday, Friday & Saturday, Dec. 18, 19 and 20, at I. R. Wilson's picture store. Auction, 2 and 7 p. m. Private sale all day.

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Cup and Saucer, Bohemian Vase 6, 7 or 8 inches high, Child's A B C Plate, Child's Picture Mug. China or Majolica Cream Pitcher, Large Glass Mag. Engraved Goblet, Fancy Tin Cup or Pall, Wooden Toy Pail, Whisk Broom, Majolice Begonia Leaf, Large Gringed Christmas Card, &c. For Twenty-Five Cente you can buy a Co-

logne Bottle, 1, 2, 2 or 4 oz., richly cut or lecorated; 8 oz. cut Stopper Cologne, for cover ing with satin; Vinagrette: Crystal Thermometer: Fancy Ink Bottle: Crystal Boquet Helder: Chins Vase, with raised flowers: Toothpick Holder: Comic Bisque Figure; China Jewel Box; Bronze Match Box: Kiota Ash Receiver: Bohemian Cologne Bottle: Powder Box: China Milk Pitcher: China Fruit Plate; China Fruit Basket in wire frame; Majolica Water Pitcher; Crumb Brush and Tray; Decorated Broad and Milk Set; Decorated Cup Saucer and Plate: handsome Bohemian Vase, 8, 9 or 10 inches high; Shells of Ocean.

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